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PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS IN BUS SERVICE

A suggestion is before the people of Brisbane by Mr. Amos Kinney, that the school bus proceed up visitacion to Mendocino street, instead of the present stop, for the benefit of the pupils during the rainy season. The awning in front of the Alma Market, Mr. Gull points out, will be quite a protection from the rains, and the more central starting point may help avoid some of the delinquencies heretofore caused by missing the bus.

Another suggestion that is being taken up wtih the Fire Department is that it might be possible to give a certain tap on the fire bell to indicate the bus has arrived, as a variation in the bus time tends to uncertainty. School authorities have remarked that there are more absences from school than there should be, and part of this is being traced to failure to connect with the bus. If such an improved arrangement ccn be worked out, it should prove of advantage to the children and their parents.

'WHERE'S THE FIRE!'

Last Sunday, Fire Commissioner Netzer had the misfortune to severely damage his fine big car on a protruding manhole on San Bruno avenue, near the school. The car is being repaired at Wilson's garage. Immediately Mr. Wheeler got busy with his unemployed relief crew and at that spot at least San Bruno is better than ever. In the course of these repairs, Mr. Fred Chance donated the hauling of several loads of earth.

ON THE WAY TO PAN THE PLAY

Pretty slick the way McFadden talked Mr. Annis into a trip to Los Angeles last Wednesday. "Mac" wanted to see the St. Mary's-U. S. C. game there today, and after Mr. Annis had decided to make the business trip at this time, he became as enthused as McFadden—and like two youngsters hurrying down to a sandlot game, they sped away in their high-powered car, and will return Monday or Tuesday. Mr. Oles is holding the fort at the Tract Office, and while he is out on company business Mrs. Oles is taking care of the phone.

IMPORTANT TO UNEMPLOYED!

Meeting at Social Club Hall Monday Night to Receive Your Applications for This Work, and Hear All the Particulars Regarding It.

Federal Highway Work in San Mateo County starts in about six weeks. Several big jobs are to be undertaken and many men are needed.

Ex-Service men are to be given preference — whether serving in war or peace.

Married men with families are next in preference, and single men next.

This work is so planned that people who live in San Mateo County may get the work in San Mateo County, and men from other counties will not be employed on these projects unless the construction company is unable to fill the positions with men from this County.

Unemployed men are required to file an application, and ex-service men MUST SHOW THEIR DISCHARGE papers—so don't fail to bring them along with you to the meeting Monday night.

Mr. Call of South City, and Mr. Shook of San Mateo, federal employes to administer this work on behalf of the government, and working in conjunction with county authorities, will explain all matters connected with this employment, at a meeting at SOCIAL CLUB HALL, next Monday night, October 16th, at 8 p. m. These men are coming to Brisbane to save you the time and expense of going down the peninsula to file your application, so this effort should be appreciated by you in turning out to your own hall and filling out the blanks that will be provided.

LIVE STOCK NO LONGER

But this is serious. Snitched right out of the corral over in the acreage, the fine young heifer calf Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Royce have been treasuring for other purposes, was cruelly murdered, dragged to a car and carted away—probably in the dead of night when all our dogs are barking anyway, so we didn't notice the alarm. But of course Brisbane "doesn't need" a night cop! One of the neighbors remarked, "Well, it was a dirty trick, but they at least might have asked you to the barbecue."

Rearing livestock in the Brisbane area seems to involve increasing hazards. It must have taken a brave soul to snatch that little calf right away from its papa—but it is a desperate depression, and chicken thieves are now picking on bigger game. Don't think, Harvey, that we are not sympathizing with you—for we are.

NEW FOUNDATIONS FOR THE FUTURE

Leroy Whittaker on Lassen street has raised his house and placed thereunder some solid concrete piers, preliminary to making some rather extensive additions. The forms are in place for a retaining wall around the lower end of the lot, and nightly the put-put of his own lighting plant may be heard by everyone outside the house as he busies himself in his completely equipped machine shop. Mr. Whittaker is also an amateur photographer of much ability and has some first class equipment to take clear distance pictures. He says he is not ready to discuss the rumored contemplation of marriage, so no announcement can be made at this time. Seven pairs of white socks neatly spaced on his clothes line this morning would indicate that he is yet a bachelor. "They dry while you work."

FREE DANCING ALL DAY SUNDAY

"Recreation Center" — that's what Fred Coffin calls the fine big room in the fine new building at the corner of Visitacion and Mendocino, where Mr. Adolph Lopez Cossa has erected several stores and apartments.

The building gets its first introduction to the public tomorrow (Sunday), when Mr. Coffin is presenting free Dancing to the populace. Refreshments will be available, and the pool table will be a busy spot on the side.

Come and look the place over, meet your neighbors, shoot a game of pool and drink to the success of this new building on Brisbane's busy corner.

The festivities will probably begin right after lunch, about 1 p. m. and open house will be held all day and evening. And when we say Free Dancing — just notice that fine floor Mr. Abascal put there for you to step on!

PLANE FALLS NEAR SO. SAN FRANCISCO

Yesterday's early editions of the daily papers carried the news of the shocking airplane accident over the South San Francisco hills.

After the motor stopped and the pilot guided the plane as best he could down the angle of the hill, and the crash occurred, unfortunately it was several hours before the injured could attract attention of passing motorists. The latest news is that all the injured will recover.

MRS. McCULLOUGH VISITING BRISBANE

Mrs. J. McCullough, sister of Billy Williams, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Williams at their residence on Mariposa street. Meanwhile Mr. McCullough, or "Mac" as we called him, is holding down the placer claim up in the North San Juan country and baking his own flapjacks. The McCulloughs have built a rustic log house, and are constantly improving and enlarging it, and expect to be quite snug there this winter. When there is water in the draw, there is gold in the sand; also when there isn't water there is gold—but it stays there.

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EDITORIAL

The Brisbane Sun, in carrying out its announced policy of furthering the best interests of Brisbane, briefly here will outline the service offered to our citizens. First, we want your News, the social events, the comings and goings, and all matters that are of public interest. You like to read of what your neighbors are doing, because you can not see them all daily, and you are interested in their welfare, and the little and big happenings in their daily lives. That's what makes a community feel like a big family. It makes one who has chosen to live here feel that they "belong"—that we have many common interests, and that it is valuable to know what our neighbors are thinking, and feeling, and doing. So on this basis, we solicit Your news items, for the other fellow to read and enjoy.

Then, we offer free publicity to All organizations—for their meetings, their plans, their achievements—anything of news value. There has been no exception to this rule. Sometimes we are not given the news while it still is news, and at times we are not able to cover enough ground to get it. You can help in this. With mail boxes at the Sun office and at the Library, it is handy for you to drop us your news items—or through the mail. Before Thursday night at the latest, but preferably much earlier to be sure of publication.

Necessarily the Sun sometimes takes a stand on live public issues—a newspaper that does not is not worthy of the name. If you do not always agree with us, you at least have definite printed review of our opinions, and a basis on which to formulate your own objections. We are here only to serve your best interests, and want to hear from you often. Short letters on matters of public interest are always solicited. Up to the limit of our space we will be glad to present your views. Of course such should be free from personalities, from trivialities, and inspired by the common good. No more effective forum of such discussion exists than the newspaper. It is read at your leisure, in your own home, and what is printed stands—it is not gossip or rumor. For that reason you should be careful of your facts, and express only such opinions as have been given a little careful thought.

Sometimes conditions change from day to day, and it is well to have all the facts available before expressing a positive opinion. These are the reasons the newspaper is valuable to you, that the harmony and future welfare of our people may be furthered through a thoughtful expression of opinion on matters that concern the social, spiritual and economic welfare of all of us.

Our efforts have been confined largely to Brisbane's most intimate interests. We can not be burdened with lengthy political controversies or aspirations that reach beyond the tract. Such matter is considered political and space must necessarily be charged for, but as a self-governing body of home-loving, hard-working, forward-looking citizens of this community, we solicit your Views as well as your News.

NEW GUARDIAN AT SANITARY OUTLET

Down by Halliday's wharf there sits a truck, proudly holding up its head and defying anybody to do anything new to that sewer extension. It seems that Red Wilson, turning the corner by the Beer Garden, didn't see the parked car until he had given it a slight bump, and the momentum started it. Before Wilson could get out to head it off, the car had rolled over the bank. Since Wednesday night this car had been illegally parked at the side of this narrow spot in Crocker avenue, and was a menace to traffic. Mrs. Wilson received bruises from impact with the windshield, and their car was slightly damaged, but fortunately they were not traveling fast or the collision might have been more serious. The sheriff's office is now inquiring into the ownership of the truck, which bears an Arizona license but is perhaps owned in the tract. With a flat tire or otherwise crippled, the car should have been towed off the highway ere the two nights elapsed.

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Reporter — I understand, Senator, that you are a salf-made man.

Senator—Oh, no; I couldn't honestly say that. I've had constant advice from my wife and mother-in-law.

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Benson Moore, the artist, took a brush, dipped it in some paint and wiped it across the canvas several times. Then he put the canvas in a frame and gazed at it with evident pride and satisfaction.

"What's the idea?" a friend inquired. "You don't mean to tell me you consider that a finished picture?"

"Certainly; it's an impressionistic study."

"What does it represent?"

"It represents a village street from the rear of a motorcycle."

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Green—Well, I couldn't resist getting into the stock market again.

Gray—How did you come out?

Green — Well, I'll tell you the truth. I traded a lot of money for experience—ann now I'm trying to reverse the process.

ELECTION TO BE HELD NOVEMBER 10

On Friday morning the notices were officially posted for the forthcoming election on the Public Utility question. The election will be held on Friday, November 10th, in charge of the following officials:

Inspector, Mrs. Cady L. Lyons.

Judge, Elmer J. Moon.

Clerks — Frank J. Garke and Edith Watson.

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BOY SCOUTS

By CHARLES GOSS,
Junior Assistant Scoutmaster

The hike taken last Saturday by the Boy Scouts was a success in every way and much enjoyed by the dozen or so participating. Mr. Munday corralled his boys about 10 o'clock and they hied themselves to Glendale Park, in Brisbane, accoutered with cooking utensils and what not to make it a day.

Picking out a spot to camp, building a fire in the right place, the care of the fire and extinguishing it afterward, are all part of the Scout's store of knowledge—and the boys all declare the stew was good — leastwise it vanished like magic.

Tolling the boys off into details for various parts of the work, Mr. Mundy also organized the study groups of those preparing for their Tenderfoot tests, and after enjoying their repast they packed up and scattered to their homes.

The Cubs have planned a similar excursion for today, but will omit the cooking. Instruction into the mysteries of proper conduct, treecraft, and other nature study will keep their minds on the alert.

The tinfoil drive is coming along nicely. The contest closes October 28th, and the boys are making strenuous efforts to accumulate as much as possible. About 70 pounds are on hand at present, and this one Scout effort in itself will be a very worthy achievement, as the proceeds go to the mending of crippled children in the Shriners Hospital.

Our Roamin' Reporter

They do say the Firemen are holding a big dance at Social Club Hall tonight. The members of the department as well as the Fire Commission want to show you a good time on these occasions, and to this end are procuring the best music obtainable. Proceeds will be devoted to the furtherance of their project to house the fire equipment from the elements during the rainy season soon to be on us.

Mrs. Camillieri of the Brisbane Pool Parlor is bemoaning the loss of her white and yellow Persian cat. Perhaps the cat has strayed and been picked up by someone in the tract who is not aware of its ownership. If so, Mrs. Camillieri would appreciate very much the return of her youngster's pet.

Why don't the Veterans pull another of those big Sunday dinners at the Club House which was so enjoyed by our people some weeks ago.

Mr. Jack Kinney offers a valid excuse for being absent from Brisbane for the last two weeks. He has the contract for constructing a beautiful summer home at Fetters Springs, Sonoma County — and Jack will be right there on the job till the place is finished up in tip-top workmanlike form.

Mrs. Robinson, of Lassen street, whose husband recently completed their neat little cottage in record time, was busily painting the door and window casings as our Roamin' Reporter passed the house yesterday. She says she is much pleased with Brisbane.

The Bakers and the Linns on Sierra Point Road are collaborating in amateur boat building, and they are about ready to turn out two of the niftiest little water craft seen in many a day. These 14-foot boats have newly painted oars, but later on may assume the dignity of outboard motors.

The whist given at Social Hall on Thursday night, Oct. 12th, the proceeds to be devoted to the improvements at the school grounds, was quite a success. Nine tables were filled, and the first prize of $2 went to Mrs. L. Blair. There were many other awards. Mr. C. Richards furnished music for dancing after the game, and this generous gesture was much appreciated by the members.

The next meeting of Brisbane Unit, P.-T. A., will be held in the school next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snell entertained at dinner, in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. G. Minnick and Mr. and Mrs. Lamont.

Friday afternoon the members of the bridge club were regaled with an elaborate luncheon, at Social Club Hall, by Mrs. Mae Kinney acting as hostess.

Little Raymond Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harper, who was operated on recently at Shriners Hospital, is reported doing nicely.

On Wednesday afternoon, at her cozy home on Alvarado street, Mrs. Jack Kinney gave a bridge tea, and winners in the game were awarded a happy selection of prizes.

Recent arrivals in Brisbane are Mr. and Mrs. Noell and family, who have rented the Converse cottage on Mariposa street.

Visitors at the home of Mrs. M. Burns of Sierra Point Road, for last week end were her daughter, Mrs. Hazel Spencer and daughter.

Mrs. Paul Olender entertained at her home, having as her guests Mrs. Lord and daughter Beth, and Mrs. Lagrill from San Francisco.

For the summer months, Mrs. A. Smith of Sierra Point Road is enjoying the beauties of the peninsula town of Sunnyvale.

On her arrival home after an extended trip through the southern part of the state, and side trips to Tia Juana and Agua Caliente, Mexico, Mrs. Rose Anderson reports a most enjoyable time. She visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Dr. Miller-Day, where Miss Adair, daughter of Mrs. Anderson, is at present making her home, at Spadora, Calif. Much time was spent on the delightful sands of the noted Imperial Beach.

Mrs. Zlobinsky has recently purchased the corner lot adjoining the post office, and has great plans for improvement which will be divulged in the future. Meantime, she has had constructed on the rear, a neat garage building with living quarters upstairs, which is nearly completed, and we understand is already rented.

Residents of Brisbane will be sorry to hear that Mr. Lou Boehm, popular Assistant Chief of Bay Shore Fire Department, is still confined at Beresford Hospital by an illness from which he has suffered periodically heretofore. Here's hopin' to see you out soon, Lou—with a completely restored digestion.

Mr. Harold Trafford has been confined to his bed for a week with a severe case of pleurisy. And it's not so nice to be laid out flat for so long, so Harold has made several attempts to break the spell, but he is not yet able to be up permanently.

Clerk Terry of the Fire Commission was seen busily posting up the new Fire Ordinances on the Bulletin Board at the Tract Office.

A pretty little birthday party was enjoyed by the little friends of the Van Kirk youngsters, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Van Kirk on Solano street this week.

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By IVORY

We note by our advertising columns that Mr. Annis has "some bona fide buyers for small houses" and that the Progressive Realty Co., Mr. Leo Lucero in other words, has "cottages listed for sale." Perhaps the Sun will be the means of bringing these two together.

The two women the other day who were discussing sweet anise, in their gardens, want it distinctly understood they were not talking about Arthur.

If you have tailfeathers—look out for those geese of Mrs. Emery's on Mendocino street—they're sure death on 'em.

Fred Coffin says that the fine room on Visitacion in Cossa's new building would make an ideal location for a barber shop and beauty parlor. We will see what we can do to get a beauty parlor located there—if Fred will promise to stay out of it.

Chief F. Schmidt has a number of news items in his pocket but he failed to show up this week—so for once you won't see his name in the paper.

Mr. Rossi of the Visitacion Valley Pharmacy says that if he could move that Bonecoal hill over into his valley he might enjoy some of Brisbane's sunshine.

MEN WHO BREAK CHAINS LIVE FOREVER!

Dr. T. P. Bodkin, farmer president of Marin-Dell Milk Co., says: "It has frequently been said that it is difficult in these days of materialism to stir the public mind about ideals. But ideals and ideals alone have been chart and compass that have brought mankind thus far on the long way from remote savagery to the present social order. . . . .

"Ideals are the only things that live. The material business man works for the day and the sound of money. The idealist works for the everlasting and the souls of men. There are only two kinds of human beings: those who live to get, and those who live to give.

"The getters by the billions, have lived, maltreated their fellows, stored their gain, died, and are all forgotten. Only the givers are immortal. Men who make chains for their fellow men go into the death of oblivion. Men who break chains live forever."

SPORTS SLANTS

By WAYNE MOREFIELD
Olympic Club Long Distance Runner

POLO—U. S. C. will take up the sport of polo, considered and often referred to as the sport of kings. Eric Pedley, International star, was named coach of the Trojan horsemen.

BASEBALL—To the victor belongs the spoils. The Giants won the pennant and have divided the purse that goes with the pennant. Mel Ott was one of the stars of the series. Manager Bill Terry of the Giants signed a new five-year contract. Joe Cronin, youthful pilot of the Washington Senators, signed a new contract for three years.

WRESTLING — Ed (Strangler) Lewis defeated three opponents last Monday night at Pasadena arena, all in less thn 25 minutes.

TENNIS—Miss Alice Marble of San Francisco is the Pacific Coast women's single champion. Keith Gledhill is the new Pacific Coast men's single champion.

SWIMMING — Ted Wiget will compete for the Olympic Club. Wiget's first appearance as an Olympian will come in the big swimming program scheduled for tomorrow at Aquatic Park, foot of Polk street in San Francisco.

Miss Willy Den Ouden, Dutch woman swimmer, claims new world record for 300 meters free style, of 3 minutes 58 seconds. This breaks Helene Madison's old record of 3 minutes 58.5 seconds, made in Seattle in June, 1930.

BOXING — Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dempsey are in San Francisco The topic of Jack's conversation is Max Baer. And Mrs. Dempsey, bride of about three weeks, huddles up close to her Jack and cheerfully repeats the old slogan, the honeymoon isn't over yet.

TRACK—My old friend Walter Christie, former U. C. track coach, was to return home last Thursday after a year's travel in Europe with Mrs. Christie. They have visited England, France, Germany, Italy and Belgium on their trip.

FOOTBALL—If you didn't see the game last Saturday between St. Mary's and California, I think you missed the best game we will have this year. And today I think the Olympic Club will take the Bears for at least one touchdown. St. Mary's vs. U. S. C.—I expect a tie-score, with the usual squabbling over some decision rendered by a southern official.

(Well, Wayne, I expect St. Mary's to take a drubbing. We may both be wrong.—Ed.)

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